His Excellency William Smallwood Esqr. attended.

[p 307] Ordered That the Western Shore Treasurer pay to James Brice Esquire Thirty one pounds, five shillings for a quarter's Salary as a Member of the Council due this Day.

The Council adjourned till 6 o'clock P. M.

P. M. The Council met according to adjournment.

Present. His Excellency William Smallwood Esquire.

The Hon'ble Jermiah Townley Chase

James Brice John Kilty John Davidson Benjamin Harrison

Esquires.

Agreeably to the request of the late Convention of this State made by their President, the Board appointed Mr. Archibald Golder to repair to Congress with the Proceedings of the said Convention and their Act ratifying the Plan of Government proposed for the United States, and they were accordingly delivered to him covered with linen and sealed; together with a Letter to the President of Congress on the Subject. Mr. Golder is referred to the General Assembly for Compensation for this Service.

The Council adjourned 'till Saturday next.

Saturday 3d. May 1788

The Council met.

Present The Hon'ble. James Brice

John Kilty John Davidson

Esquires.

The Council adjourned 'till Monday next.

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Monday 5th. May 1788

The Council met.

Present The Hon'ble. James Brice

John Kilty

Benja. Harrison

Esquires.

Ordered that the Western Shore Treasurer pay to Joseph Clarke Eight pounds, ten shillings currency to enable him to settle John Green's Account against the State, and accounted for.

His Excellency William Smallwood Esquire attended.

Commission issued to Ephraim Howard appointed One of the Coronors of Frederick County.

Ordered That the Western Shore Treasurer pay to Thomas Johnson junr. Fifty pounds for one quarter's Salary as Clerk of the Council due the 1st. Instant,